

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR, IT

SUBJECT: DISCRIMINATION AT ROME AIRPORTS

REF: ROME 4791

1. DI MUCCIO (MFA) TOLD EMBOFF HE WOULD SOON HAVE COPIES OF ALITALIA PAYMENT INVOICES TO SOCIETA AEROPORTI DI ROMA (AR), BUT THAT, AS ALITALIA IS "PRIVATE COMPANY," HE COULD ONLY SHOW EMBOFF THESE COPIES. EMBOFF DOUBTED SUCH PROCEDURE WOULD BE SATISFACTORY GIVEN PRESENT STATUS OF MATTER. HE SUGGESTED THAT, IF COPIES OF INVOICES COULD NOT BE GIVEN TO EMBASSY, MFA NOTE CLEARLY STATING THAT ALITALIA NOW PAYING LANDING FEES TO SAR MIGHT BE SATISFACTORY. EMBOFF ASKED THAT NOTE SPECIFY DATES AND AMOUNTS OF PAYMENTS, IF POSSIBLE, COMMENTING THAT THE MORE SPECIFIC AND DETAILED THE NOTE COULD BE MADE THE GREATER THE CHANCE THAT IT WOULD BE CONSIDERED A SUFFICIENT BASIS FOR DECISION BY WASHINGTON AGENCIES THAT CHARGES NEED NOT BE ASSESSED AGAINST ALITALIA UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORTATION FAIR COMPETITIVE PRACTICES ACT. DI MUCCIO INDICATED HE WOULD DO HIS BEST TO HAVE SUCH A NOTE READY BY MARCH 30.

2. LECCESE (ALITALIA) HAD EARLIER TOLD ECOMIN THAT ALITALIA

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MIGHT BE ABLE TO PRODUCE DOCUMENTATION BY MARCH 30.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: IN VIEW CLOSENESS OF TIMING, SUGGEST DEPARTMENT ALERT DEPARTMENTS OF TREASURY AND TRANSPORTATION TO POSSIBILITY THAT EVIDENCE WILL BE AVAILABLE BY MARCH 30 OR 31 OF ALITALIA PAYMENTS OF LANDING AND OTHER AIRPORT CHARGES

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## Message Attributes

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